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## **RULE 131 DECLARATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

I, Angus McNab Chassels IV, currently residing at 790 Church Street #306, San Francisco, California 94114, declare as follows:

I am an original, first, and joint inventor, with Brian Gerard Duperrouzel, of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought for the application identified above.

We were in possession of the invention defined by the claims of the application identified above ("the present application") prior to June 30, 1998. The attached business plan document of Katiesoft, Inc. ("Katiesoft") describes two software products, Katiesoft Picture in Picture and Katiesoft Scroll, that existed at least as of May 1998, which embodied the invention described in the application identified above. In addition, the attached printout dated June 25, 1998 describes some of the inventive features of an existing version of Katiesoft Scroll.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United

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